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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a five-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated January 13, 2006, thereby extending the response period to July 13, 2006. A check for the applicable fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee required or to deposit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 503289.

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